

Scholarship/Award Opportunities – March/April Deadlines

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Name of Scholarship	Amount	Citizen or PR	Requirements	Due Date	Website/Contact
La Raza Youth Leadership Scholarship	Cash award not specified		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be Chicano/a, Mexicano/a, and Latino/a grades 6-12 • Must be enrolled and in good standing in a public, private or alternative school • Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 • Must be involved in school activities and the community • Must attend the LA RAZA youth leadership conference on 4/24/10 	3/5/10	Junior Reina 303-556-2322 pcmasp@ucdenver.edu or youthawards@larazayouth.org www.larazayouth.org Get scholarship application from your Post Secondary Coach or download from the website Essay questions required
La Raza Youth Leadership Scholarship	3 - \$1,500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Admitted to Metro State and planning to enroll full time • Colorado residents, high school senior, and US citizen or legal permanent resident • Attend the La Raza Youth Leadership Conference on 4/24/10 • Cumulative GPA of 2.0 	3/1/2010	Get scholarship application from your Post Secondary Coach or Metro Metro Contact: Cynthia Nunez, 303-556-2691 www.larazayouth.org
Colorado Alumnae of the Sacred Heart Scholarship	\$1000-1200		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accepted and planning on attending one of the following schools: Manhattanville College, NY; Maryville Univ, MO; Univ of San Diego, CA. 	March 1, 2010	Get application from Post Secondary Coach
Latin American Educational Foundation (LAEF)	\$500-\$3,000	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colorado resident • Hispanic heritage and/or actively involved in the Hispanic community • Accepted to an accredited college, university or vocational school • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Recipient required to fulfill 10 hours of community service during service year 	3/1/2010	Questions? Contact Christina by phone at 303-446-0541ext 15 Or email at www.laef.org http://www.laef.org/scholarships/application.html
CESDA Diversity Scholarship	\$1,000	CO State	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First generation college student, or member of underrepresented ethnic or racial minority and/or show 	3/1/2010	http://www.cesda.org/

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SACHS Foundation Scholarship	\$4000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> African Americans who are Colorado residents for more than 5 years Graduating high school senior Demonstrated financial need 	3/1/2010	http://www.sachsfoundation.org
Colorado County Clerks Association Presidential Scholarship	\$500	Does not specify	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.25 minimum GPA Community involvement with an interest in government, business, or political science Financial need/hardship 	3/1/2010	See Post Secondary Coach for application. Mail complete application to Karen Long, Adams County Clerk and Recorder, 450 S. 4 th Avenue, Brighton, CO 80601
National Assoc. of Women in Construction Scholarship	Up to \$1,000	NA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Men and Women planning to attend a CO university, college or trade school pursuing a course of instruction leading to a BA or certificate in a construction related field 	3/1/2010	<p>Email or call Ara Massey with questions Masseya@gejohnson.com</p> <p>970-481-0829 Obtain application from Post Secondary Coach</p>
McDonald's USA National Employee Scholarship Program	\$1000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently employed at McDonald's and 4 months continuous employment Work minimum 15 hours/week Must be employed at McDondald's at the time award is given 	3/1/2010	http://www.mcdonalds.com/usa/good/people/scholarship.html
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. 2007 Scholarship	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduating HS females GPS of 3.0 and above Demonstrate leadership, service, citizenship, and high scholastic achievement Application to a 4 year college or university 	3/1/2010	Contact Sonia Gilmore with questions at soniagilmore@comcast.net
Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation	Range from \$1000-\$10000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum GPA 2.0 Son/daughter of an active duty or reserve US Marine, US Navy Corpsman, or a Marine or Corpsman who 	4/1/2010	www.mcsf.org

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> has been discharged or killed while serving. Scholarships are targeted at eligible applicants from families with a <u>maximum adjusted gross income of \$82,000 or less in 2009</u> 		
Scholar Athlete Milk Mustache of the Year Award	\$7500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal US Resident Full time senior Participates in a high school or club sport during 2008-2009 year Judged on five criteria: academics, athletic excellence, leadership, community service, and milk experience 	3/5/2010	Online application at: http://www.bodybymilk.com/sammy_scholarship.php
Colorado Masons' Benevolent Fund Scholarship & Vocational Grant Programs	Up to \$7000, renewable for 4 yrs		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schedule Masonic Lodge for a personal interview Graduating CO public H.S. senior Attend an institution of higher education in Colorado No advantage given to race, sex, national origin or Masonic relationship 	3/1/2010 Schedule interview by: 2/22/2010	Email inquiries to: scholarships@coloradofreemasons.org Or call 800-482-4441 303-290-8544 Locally – Call Ronald Kadera at 719-623-5345 or 719-471-9587 ext 5 For interview call – Sam Bailey 720-217-7309 or James Sellers 303-337-7112 ext 134
La Raza Youth Leadership Scholarship – Community College of Denver	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Colorado HS senior Minimum 2.5 GPA US Citizen or legal permanent resident Admitted to Community College of Denver Demonstrate financial need Attend the La Raza Youth Leadership Conf on 4/24/10 Enrolled in at least 6 credit hrs 	3/10/2010	Get copy of application from your Post Secondary Coach OR from Community College of Denver www.larazayouth.com
Mapleton Education Foundation Scholarship	\$1000-\$4000	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Colorado resident & attend Mapleton Public Schools. Must be eligible for and planning to attend an accredited college or university, trade school, training program or other post-secondary educational or vocational institution in the next academic year. See list of different scholarships for specific eligibility requirements 	3/11/2010	http://mef.mapleton.us Go to Programs and look for link to “Apply for 2010 Scholarships” See your Post Secondary Coach for details on deadlines within each Mapleton high school
IBC Education Foundation Scholarship	2 - \$1,000	Does not specify	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Full time HS senior attending HS in CO Attend any Colorado public or private university, community college, or voc/trade school Cum GPA of 3.0 or above Have an account or their parents with any IBC member bank for at least 6 months 	3/13/2010	http://www.ibcbanks.org Go to IBC Education Foundation, events, scholarship, application. http://www.ibcbanks.org/education_forums/events/scholarships.html
Colorado Young	\$500-750-	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enrolled as a full-time student at a Colorado 2-4year 	3/15/2010	Maureen Whittington

Farmer's Educational Association	1,250		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> college Must be a Colorado resident Agriculture related major for first two years of college Agriculture education related major for second two years of college 		<p>970-265-2023 970-520-5610</p> <p>Contact your PSOC for the application or call Jack Dannon 970-521-6690 office</p>
PFLAG Scholarship Program	3 - \$5,000 3 - \$2,500 10 - \$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You are a graduating senior entering higher education for the first time in 2009 (if you graduated in 2008 and took a year off you are still eligible to apply). Self identify as gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender (GLBT) or an ally Demonstrate an interest in service to the GLBT community. Have applied to an accredited higher education institution 	3/12/2010	<p>http://community.pflag.org/Page.aspx?pid=370 Send your high school transcript, letter of reference and the release form in one packet to PFLAG National (see address below).</p> <p>PFLAG National 1726 M St. NW, Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036 Submit essay online application</p>
Kohl's Cares for Kids Scholarship	\$1,000 (regional) \$5,000 (national)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An adult must nominate students who have done community volunteer work that is above and beyond that of their age. Efforts should result in a positive community outcome and have occurred in the past 12 months. 	3/15/2009	www.kohlscorporation.com
Hispanic Scholarship Fund	\$1,000- \$5,000	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be of Hispanic heritage US citizen or legal permanent resident Full time enrollment High school senior Full time enrollment for 2007-2008 academic year Minimum GPA 3.0 Must complete FAFSA 	2/26/10	<p>http://www.hsf.net/ Online application: http://www.hsf.net/Scholarships.aspx?id=426</p>
Stephen T. Marchello Scholarship Foundation	\$1000-2000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cancer survivor and resident of Colorado 	3/16/2010	http://www.stmfoundation.org/app_info_letter.html
Colorado Society of Mayflower Descendants Scholarship	\$500	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO state residents and US citizens High School senior planning to attend any accredited college, university or voc institution Mayflower ancestry is NOT a requirement 	3/15/2009	<p>http://www.coloradomayflowersociety.org Paul Kilburn, Chairman, Scholarship Committee, 6695 Terry Court, Arvada, CO 80007, E-mail: pdkilburn@msn.com</p>
Colorado Garden Show Scholarship	4 year full ride scholarship		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must major in Horticulture, Floriculture, Landscape Design, Botany, Biology (as it applies to horticulture/agriculture sciences), Forestry, Agronomy, Conservation, Plant Pathology, Environmental Concerns, City Planning and/or other allied subjects. (Approval must be granted by Colorado Garden Show, Inc. for any major other than those specifically listed 	3/15/2010	http://www.gardeningcolorado.com/garden/scholarships

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> above.) Minimum 2.5 GPA while in college Student will be expected to perform a minimum of 20 documented hours of annual volunteer community service in a related field. 		
National Council of Jewish Women	3-\$2000	YES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jewish woman at least 16 years of age Colorado resident Enrolled in 2-4 year school in Fall 2009 Provide State and Federal tax returns of parents Document involvement in the community Provide two letters of recommendation 	3/1-12010	Flo Dubwitz
Lowe's Scholarship and Carl Buchan Scholarship	140 - \$2500 50 - \$5000 (Carl Buchan for employees)	DOES NOT Specify	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduating seniors planning to enroll in any accredited 2 or 4 year school 3.25 minimum GPA for both scholarships Car Buchan scholarship is open to full and part time Lowe's employees Academic achievement, leadership, community service, work experience 	2/26/2010	http://www.lowes.com/lowes/lkn?action=pq&p=Scholarship/lowesfoundation_120606.html
Associated Builders and Contractors Bob Piper Construction Education Scholarship	4 - \$1,000	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> American citizen Min 2.0 GPA Students pursuing education leading to a Bachelor's degree in a construction-related field 	3/31/2010	Call 303-832-5812 for more info Get application from Post Secondary Coach
Valley Bank and Trust Scholarship	5 - \$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A banking relationship with Valley Bank and Trust is not required. However, to compete for the renewable scholarship the student or a family member must be a VB&T customer Cum GPA of 2.5 or better 	3/31/2009	http://www.valleybankandtrust.com Applications sent to Marketing Department at Valley Bank and Trust, 30 North 4 th Avenue, Brighton, CO 80601
Jackie Robinson Foundation	\$7500 annually for 4 years		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US citizen, Minority student, academics, financial need, evidence of leadership and interest in their communities 	3/31/2010	http://www.jackierobinson.org/apply
Denver Rocky Mountain Korean Lions Club Education	10 - \$500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Korean descendant students with US citizenship or permanent residency 	3/31/2010	See Post Secondary Coach for application or call 303-757-3828 or sugiepark@hotmail.com

Scholarship Awards			•		
Colorado Education Association's Ethnic Minority Advisory Council Scholarship	4 - \$1000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school seniors who are ethnic minorities and whose parents are members of CEA 	3/31/2010	Colorado Education Association Ethnic Minority Advisory Council Scholarship 1500 Grant Street Denver, CO 80203
The Pinnacol Foundation Scholarship	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be the natural, adopted, step-child or full dependent of a worker killed or permanently injured in a compensable work-related accident during the course and scope of employment with a Colorado-based employer and entitled to receive benefits under the Colorado Workers' Compensation Act. Between the ages of 16 and 25 at the time of application. Must demonstrate substantial financial need. Academic achievement, aptitude and community service of the applicant are considered. 	3/31/2010	http://www.pinnacol.com/foundation/
Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund Incorporated	6 - \$2500	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US Citizen or permanent resident GPA 2.5 or higher HS Senior who will graduate in 2009 and attend a US accredited 4 year college or university full time Demonstrated leadership abilities through participating in community services, extracurricular or other activities Financial need will be considered. 	3/31/2010	Obtain application from Post Secondary Coach and mail to: Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund, Inc., PO Box 1023, Springfield, Virginia, 22151 geraldine@starpower.net . The telephone number is 703-981-0535.
Davis-Putter Scholarship	Maximum is \$8000	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student activists building the progressive movement, and working for peace and justice Plans to enroll in an accredited program in the US 	4/1/2010	http://www.davisputter.org
Latin American Law Enforcement Scholarship Foundation			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior residing in Denver metro area with an interest in public service and/or law enforcement Minimum 2.5 GPA Of Latino heritage or actively involved in the Latino community 	4/1/2010	http://www.laleydenver.org/scholarship.htm
National Federation of the Blind Scholarship Program	\$800-6,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legally blind and planning to pursue a full time post-secondary course of study 	3/31/2010	http://www.nfbco.org
Japanese American		Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduating high school senior residing in Denver 	4/3/2009	Contact Lorraine Hisamoto for further info:

Community Graduation Program Scholarship			Metro area who is either an American citizen of Japanese ancestry or an American citizen who legal parents are of Japanese ancestry or a parent actively involved in the community		303-288-6083 4 Awards include: Community Committee, Community Service, Individual/Memorial, Booklet Cover Design Contest
Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship		Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a US citizen, nat'l, or perm resident of the US; Legal resident of CO. Be enrolled full-time in course work leading to HS graduation by the spring of 2009 with an unweighted GPA of 3.80 or above (weighted GPA of 4.0 or above). ACT score of 31 or above OR SAT score of 2040 Be accepted for admission to an accredited institution of higher education and beginning attendance in the fall 2009 semester. 	Postmarked by 4/9/2010 Or hand delivered by 4/9/2010 at 4pm	http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeawards/byrdapp.htm
RBC Wealth Management Colorado Scholarship Fund	5 - \$3,000	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exceptional Colorado students who are planning to pursue a degree in science, math, or engineering 3.75 cum GPA or higher 	4/2/2010	http://www.denverfoundation.org
Sons of Italy's Colorado and National Scholarship	\$1,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US Citizen of Italian descent (at least one parent or grandparent) 1 page reflection on how you identify with or celebrate Italian heritage 	2/26/10	See Post Secondary Coach for application
First Annual Que Lueva Café Scholarship (CORE)	\$500-1000	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be of Chicano/Latino descent Must be undocumented Must be a graduating senior who will be attending a higher education institution 	2/26/10	See Post Secondary Coach for application
CARE – Central Adams Retired Educators Dick Urbana Scholarship	2 - \$750	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only one application form for each high school High School students in Adams County districts 1, 12, 14, or 27J Intent to enter the field of education Decisions based on scholarship record, school and extra activites, leadership ability and financial need 	4/14/2010	Call 303-733-5826 with questions.
Education is Freedom	\$2,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. resident for one year at time of application Current U.S. High School senior 	4/15/2010	Online Application http://www.educationisfreedom.com/default.asp No scholarship available this year

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPA of 3.0 to 3.5 (4.0 scale) • First-time enrollment in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited 2 or 4-year college or university 		
Gwendolyn S. Duran Memorial Scholarship – Colorado Association of Legal Support Staff	\$1,000	Does not specify	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full time student • Demonstrate financial need • Declared legal field as your major or are enrolled in a legal program, such as secretary, court reporter, paralegal or pre-law concentration 	4/15/2010	http://www.calss.org
Cibrowski Family Foundation	\$600-2500		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intend to pursue careers in engineering or chemistry at CO School of Mines or Univ of Denver in Fall 2009 • United State citizen • 3.5 GPA or higher • Minimum test scores: ACT 25 (Eng), 29 (Math) OR SAT 500 (Verbal), 600 (Math) 	4/15/2009	Email questions to deoncpa@att.net See Post Secondary Coach for application or email contact info.
The Alexander Foundation	Ranges		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be gay or lesbian • Colorado resident • Demonstrate financial need • Enrolled in CO institution of higher education 	4/15/2010	http://www.thealexanderfoundation.org Go to community programs and click on scholarships
United States Bowling Congress Denver Association		No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior and a sanctioned bowler in the USBC 	4/15/2010	See Post Secondary Coach for application 303-934-3100 Pat Mulqueen is contact
Daughters of the American Revolution	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer MANY scholarships based on area of interest • Nursing, teaching, history, political science, government etc. 	4/15/2010	See website for details. Many steps involved with contacting local chapter representatives. www.dar.org
Alliance of Black Telecommunications Professionals	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior with 2.5 minimum GPA 	Postmarked by 4/15/10	Kymbal.Lindsay@qwest.com Email with questions.
International Scholarship Fund	Varies		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Originate from a country outside of the US • Graduate from a high school in Colorado • Maintain 2.5 GPA • Intend to attend college full time in Fall 2008 • NOT be eligible for the COF stipend or resident tuition rates 	4/15/2008	Direct questions to kelsi.isf@gmail.com or call 720-266-6796

Skyview High School Booster Club	\$1000	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a Mapleton student • Must meet necessary requirements for graduation • Must plan to continue your education at a higher education institution • Must not be a recipient of any other scholarship 	4/16/2010	Get application from Post Secondary Coach and submit application to your schools Post Secondary Coach
Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Scholarship Program	\$1000-5000 and laptop		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Latino students with a history of performing public service oriented activities in their communities • Excellent leadership potential 	4/16/2010	http://www.chci.org/chciyouth/scholarship/application.htm
The Mikkelson Foundation	\$3,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colorado high school graduate planning to study at an accredited university or college • Demonstrated an ability to excel in the academic disciplines of math or science and plans to study engineering, science, or mathematics 	4/16/2010	http://www.mikkelson.com
Ayn Rand Institute Essay Contest	\$50-10,000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write an essay – see topic on website 	4/25/2009	http://www.aynrand.org/contests
HENAAC Scholars Program	\$500-5000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate leadership • Major in Engineering, Math, Computer Science, or Material Science • 3.0 GPA or higher • Hispanic origin or significantly participate in activities in the Hispanic community 	4/30/2010	http://www.henaac.org/scholars/
Front Range Community College Foundation Scholarships	\$500-\$3000		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numerous General and Program Specific Scholarships – refer to webpage for online application and description of scholarships 	4/30/2010	http://www.frontrange.edu/foundation